



AUGUST 13-14, 2016

TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:00PM

Sunday: 7:30, 9:00 & 11:00AM

Pastoral Council: Diane Stone, Chair

**Finance Council: James Mullen, Co-Chair
Chris DeMarco, Co-Chair**

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:00PM

Sunday: 9:00AM

Pastoral Council: Bernie Garvey, Chair

Finance Council: Don Ames, Chair

Rev. Patrick L. Albert, Pastor
Deacon Raymond A. Pieretti, Pastoral Associate
Rev. Robert J. Kelleher (Ret.)

Parish Office: Fr. Nallin Hall, Tunkhannock
Business Manager: Dick Schwoebel (570)677-7634
Secretary: Mary Lou Chackan
Office hours: 9:00AM – 2:00PM

WELCOME: We warmly welcome all to join us in worship of our God. If you are new to our parish community, please be sure to tell Fr. Pat that you will be joining our parish community. Contact the parish office if you have any questions. Visitor envelopes are available at all entrances.

MARRIAGE: Christian marriage is a sacred and serious commitment. Couples contemplating marriage should notify a parish priest at least nine months before the date on which they intend to marry. This should be done before any other arrangements are made so that a couple may be suitably served by the parish and diocese. All couples are required to take part in a Pre-Cana program or Engaged Encounter Weekend. **Sunday Weddings are not permitted.**

RCIA: The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults is a community journey that leads to transformation of mind and spirit. Guided by the gospel and the examples of parish members, newcomers can find their place in the RCIA community of believers and discover their own relationship with Christ. The program runs from September through Pentecost with reception of the Sacraments at the Easter Vigil. Information is available at the parish office.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: Knowing the Catholic faith and tradition is essential if faith and tradition are to continue to be nourishing facets of our lives. Religious formation is valuable for both youth and adults. Classes are conducted from September to May following the 9:00AM Mass on Sunday. Information on religious education programs for youth of all ages and educational opportunities for adults are available at the parish office.

BULLETIN: If you have information that you would like to place in the bulletin (community news, society/social news, etc.), please have it at the parish office no later than Tuesday morning.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Forty-five minutes before Saturday evening Mass or by appointment.

SHUT-INS: If someone you know is unable to attend Mass but would like to receive Communion or receive a copy of our weekly bulletin, please contact the parish office.

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION PROGRAM: All parents must attend a Baptismal Preparation meeting before this sacrament will be celebrated. Contact Father Pat at the parish office (570-836-3275) to schedule an appointment to discuss your child's baptism.

HOSPITAL VISITS: Visits are made on a regular basis.
PLEASE NOTE: The new privacy laws limit the amount of information that we receive from the hospitals or nursing/convalescent homes. It is necessary that family or friends notify us of these admittances.

HANDICAPPED SEATING AREA: Please note that the front pew nearest to the side door is reserved to accommodate those who have need due to disability. Please be kind enough to leave this pew available for that purpose.

PARKING LOT: [St. Mary's] Please keep the emergency lane in front of the church clear at all times. It is essential that vehicles are able to get in and out of the parking lot in case of an emergency. Please adhere to the parking spaces as delineated. Please be considerate of your fellow parishioners when you are backing up or turning to park or to exit the parking lot. There is ample parking on the upper level and supplemental parking on the side of the church.

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT
"TO KNOW, LOVE AND SERVE THE LORD
AND ONE ANOTHER
IN IMITATION OF MARY"

*Approved by both Parish Pastoral Councils
January 2007*

FROM THE DEACON'S BENCH:



August is one of those months that I have a hard time with since it's a month that has two faces; early August holds the full warmth of summer, but mid-August starts to show another face. The nights start to cool down, the days are noticeably shorter, and the sun is lower in the sky. Worse yet, for kids, school starts and everyone knows that is the true end of summer.

All of this change has a good side. It's like reading a book that you really love but, realizing by the number of pages left that you're getting to the end, you have relish each remaining page. In other words, we all of a sudden feel like a fire has been lit under us and we want to get as much done as possible simply because we know we are running out of time.

In our Gospel today, Jesus shares this realization as he knows that for him, the days grow shorter and he still has much to do and cherish before his time on the cross. Jesus tried to teach his disciples as much as he could in his remaining time; lessons like patient endurance, mercy, and above all, forgiveness.

This month of August teaches us somewhat the same lessons. We have to be patient as we wait for the first tomato to ripen on the vine or the first ear of corn to ripen. We have to be forgiving of our failures and learn the lessons they teach us. We have to be merciful to our children who do not want to go to school and are not hesitant to let us know this fact.

Deacon Ray

WYOMING COUNTY COMMUNITY FAIR: The Fair has changed its name but not its importance in our community and in our parishes. Nativity and St. Mary of the Lake have been a major presence in the Fair for 15+ years and we look forward to being there for many more.

We need many volunteers to make this possible. Inserted in this week's bulletin are the volunteer schedules for this year. **If you can help, please let us know early!** For Nativity's Homemade Foods booth, please contact Mary Lou at the Parish Office (570-836-3275). For St. Mary of the Lake's Baskets Galore booth, please contact Dot Johnson (570-378-2437). **There will be a planning meeting for Nativity's Homemade Foods booth this Wednesday, August 17th at 6:30PM in the rectory conference room. Anyone who wishes to help with this important annual fundraiser is encouraged to attend.**

BVM COMMUNION PHOTOS ARE IN: Any remaining photos are available in the Parish Office during normal business hours (Monday-Friday between 8:00AM-2:00PM).

SPECIAL COLLECTION: On the weekend of **August 27-28**, we will take up the **Collection for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe**. This collection supports Catholic organizations that provide affordable shelter and training for seminarians in a region that still struggles from the effects of Soviet rule. By providing pastoral care, catechesis, and funding for building renovations, your donations help **restore the Church and build the future** in the region. Please give generously to the collection.

Nativity: Envelope is in your packet
St. Mary: Envelope will be in the pew

TO MY SML "FAMILY' AND FRIENDS:

After almost 30 years of being your Cantor, I'm sorry to say that I will be stepping down. Most of you know that I have been battling MS for 23 years now, and this last attack has taken it's toll on me. I'd like you to know that it has been an honor and a pleasure to serve you in this Ministry and I will miss it very much. God blessed me with the gift of song and I was happy to serve Him while sharing it with you. Thanks so much for your love and support over the years!

With much Love,
MARY PETERSEN

SACRIFICIAL OFFERING: August 06-07, 2016

Nativity BVM Church:

Weekly Collection Goal*\$ 4,800.00
Actual Offertory**\$ 4,672.00
Difference:.....\$(128.00)

St. Mary of the Lake Church:

Weekly Collection Goal*\$ 2,000.00
Actual Offertory**\$ 1,467.00
Difference:.....\$(533.00)

*Weekly Collection Goal represents the amount needed weekly if we are going to make our 2016-2017 Parish Collections goal (envelopes and loose). It does NOT include Fundraising, Religious Education Income or any other income.

**Actual Offertory represents the total amount received in the weekly collection (not including special collections).

The generosity of our people is truly appreciated. We may not always reach our budgeted goals, but we are grateful to those who make a sacrifice on a weekly basis to sustain our parish ministries.

BENEFIT DANCE: There will be a benefit dance in support of Nativity BVM parishioner **FLO KEYES** (aka Dominick the Donkey), who is fighting lung cancer. The dance will take place in **Fr. Nallin Hall next Sunday, August 21st from 1:00PM to 4:00PM**. Music will be provided by DJ Roger Furman.

► **Donation: \$5.00**

► Basket raffles & bake sale

► 50/50 raffle (winner keeps 50%)

► Food for sale: Hot dogs-pulled pork-water-soda

For information please call:

Rosemary 570-836-4546 or Faye 570-378-2625

**WYOMING COUNTY COMMUNITY FAIR:
UPDATE FOR BASKETS AND KINDLY REMINDERS**

Baskets Galore is all about St. Mary's presence at the Wyoming County Community Fair. Our goal is to have 50 baskets available for the raffle. We are inching our way there, with a little over half promised to date. I want to thank everybody who has come forward to donate so far. **Without you there would be no Baskets Galore!!!**

This is a very important church fundraiser. If you have never been to the Fair, let me tell you that this is a very sought-after booth. At our drawing, we get quite the crowd of people waiting to see if they were the lucky winner... We want to keep our booth a sought after tent so **please**, if you can, **donate a basket**. You don't have to make one up yourself. Go together with a friend or there may be monetary donations put together to make a money tree (which is always a crowd pleaser).

Kindly reminders are: **Please – no perishables** (it gets very hot at the Fair). We ask that the baskets be **at least a \$50.00 value**. If you can wrap your basket, please do so in clear basket wrapping plastic. If you cannot – NO problem; we will do it. **Please provide a list of contents & name(s) of the donor**. We need to have it displayed with your basket. Please: **no real money**. For security purposes, it has to be play money. I can provide that if needed for you. **No real lottery tickets either** (you can give them to me for safekeeping). Or I can take a picture of your lottery basket and put it in a frame if you choose, or make play copies of the tickets. I also transfer out gift cards with voided ones. **DON'T WORRY: ALL THE REAL STUFF IS KEPT SAFE AND IS AWARDED ON THE NIGHT OF THE DRAWING OR, IF PICKED UP AFTER THE FAIR, THEY WILL GET IT THEN.**

We would ask you to get the baskets to us by this Saturday, August 13th (definitely no later than next Saturday, August 20th). Our goal is to once again have all the baskets set up in the hall so that we can give everybody the opportunity to see them and also to buy a chance if they won't be able to attend the Fair. **We will have the tables set up in the hall exactly as they will be at the Fair on the weekend of August 27-28.** We are aware that not everybody goes to the Fair so they never get to see what a beautiful presence we portray – one that every parishioner should be proud of. Please call us with any questions or basket donations.

God Bless,
MaryAnn 570-687-3070 Ang 570-665-2489

HOMEMADE PIEROGI: Nativity's popular and delicious homemade potato/cheese pierogi are available **for sale at our parish office** in Tunkhannock, Monday through Friday, from 8:00AM until 2:00PM. **\$7.00 per dozen (frozen).**

WELCOME: We extend our prayerful congratulations to **WYATT CHARLES ZICK**, son of **JEFFREY** and **ELLEN (YOUNG) ZICK**, who will be baptized by Fr. Pat this **Sunday, August 14th, at Noon** in **Nativity BVM Church**. We offer our best wishes to Wyatt, his parents, godparents, grandparents and members of his family. May he continue to grow in age, wisdom and love before God and others.



POPE FRANCIS QUOTES: Each of us has a vision of good and of evil. We have to encourage people to move towards what they think is good... Everyone has his own idea of good and evil and must choose to follow the good and fight evil as he conceives them. That would be enough to make the world a better place.



PARISH FINANCE COUNCILS MEETING: There will be a joint meeting of members of the Finance Councils of both churches on **Thursday, August 25th at 6:30PM** in **Fr. Nallin Hall**. **The purpose of the meeting will be to review and sign off on the annual report to the Diocese.** All members of the Finance Councils are requested to attend.

NATIVITY / ST. MARY'S TECHNOLOGY INITIATIVE:
Welcome to the new logo for our parish community:



Two Parish Families – One Faith Community

Have you checked out our new website at www.nativitystmary.org? Comments will certainly be welcomed; constructive criticism as well.

We have two vibrant and active parishes and we want to get more recognition of our activities through social media. **We're now directing your attention to our new Facebook page for our parishes – @nativitystmary.** We're always looking for current Facebook users to help us to make the page better. If you can help, please contact the Parish Office (570-836-3275).

We're also looking to update our directory of email addresses of our parishioners. Please help us by sending your email address to your parish at either nativitybvmchurch@frontier.com or stmaryofthelake@frontier.com.



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VIRTUS: Two training sessions for adults in the Protecting God's Children (PGC-VIRTUS) program have been scheduled:

► **Tuesday, August 23rd at St. John Vianney Parish, Montdale beginning at 6:30PM.**

► **Wednesday, September 14th at All Saints Academy, Scranton beginning at 6:00PM.**

Complete information is posted on the diocesan website:

www.dioceseofscranton.org (safe environment-child protection-VIRTUS)

If you are an adult employee or volunteer who has direct contact or routine interaction with children, please make every effort to participate in this training. Your attendance is important. Thank you.

RETROUVAILLE: Know a Marriage That Needs Help? Throw them a lifeline and tell them about Retrouvaille, an international program that helps couples who are experiencing marital difficulties. This program is for all couples, at any stage of marriage that need help to communicate with each other in a more attentive and loving manner.

The next program in the Scranton Diocese begins **August 26-28, 2016** at the **Ramada Inn, Clarks Summit**. Please call 1-800-470-2230 for more information or to register or visit the website at www.helpourmarriage.org.

2016 MASS INTENTIONS: Masses are filling up fast. Mass intentions for the **2016 & 2017** calendar years will be booked on a first-come, first served basis. To avoid delays, please be sure to indicate whether each intention is for a person living or deceased, Catholic or non-Catholic. The offering for an announced Mass is \$10.00 and the names will be printed in the parish bulletin and announced at the Mass.

CEMETERY REMINDER: All lot owners of Nativity's two cemeteries (Pieta & Mount Carmel) are reminded that all real and artificial flowers, candles, plastic statues, light fixtures, etc. must be removed from the cemetery. Anything not removed will be discarded. Your cooperation and assistance are appreciated and will keep our cemeteries neat and respectful sacred places for our loved ones buried there.

REMEMBER HIS WILL IN YOURS: You can express your commitment to our Church by making a bequest to either Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church in Tunkhannock or Saint Mary of the Lake Church at Lake Winola. Simply have the following statement included in your will:

"I leave to Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church, Tunkhannock, PA (or Saint Mary of the Lake Church, Lake Winola, PA), the sum of \$_____ (or ___ percent of the residue of my estate) for its religious, educational and charitable works" or words to that effect.

BVM FLOWERS: Flowers by the tabernacle this weekend at Nativity BVM Church are in memory of **ROSE KOWALSKI**, donated by Carole Gerzarowski.



A WELCOMING COMMUNITY: You enter this church ... not as stranger, but as a guest of God. He is your heavenly Father. Come, then, with joy in your heart and thanks on your lips into His presence, offering Him your love and service. Be grateful to the strong and loyal ones who, in the name of Jesus Christ, built this place of worship, and to all who have beautified it and hallowed it with their prayers and praise.



BOY SCOUT NEWS



Next Committee Meeting:

September 12th

Upstairs Classroom @ Father Nallin Hall

August 29th – First Troop meeting of the year

Andrea Hebda, Committee Chairperson
570-406-5227 rhebda@ptd.net

CUB SCOUT NEWS

ADULT COMMITTEE MEETINGS

6:00PM – Fr. Nallin Hall

TBA



Visitation of the BVM Church, Dickson City

Seneca Lake Wine Trip

Saturday, September 24, 2016

Departure from Saint Mary's Visitation Church

at 8:00AM and return 10:30PM

\$135.00 per person includes:

- Round trip Coach Service
- Tour of 5 Wineries
- Lunch (hoagies, chips/pretzels, water/soda)
- 3-course Dinner at Belhurst Castle

For more information or to make a reservation call 570-489-2091 or visit the rectory at 1090 Carmalt St., Dickson City, PA 18519.

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP PARISH, WYALUSING

Annual old fashioned picnic

Sunday, August 21, 2016

12:00 - 3:00PM

Enjoy lunch on us at our community picnic on the parish grounds **at St. Mary of the Assumption Church** in Wyalusing. We'll have old fashioned picnic fixings such as hot dogs, sloppy joes, potato salad and pasta salad, baked beans and our delicious homemade pies.

Come join the fun! You could win a couple of baskets at our basket raffle, take home a bundle of money from the cash raffle or – if you are really lucky – win "Mary", our happy wagon of cheer! There will be live entertainment, face painting, children's games, snow cones and cotton candy! A fun day for the entire family.



**ST. MARY'S AED IS LOCATED IN THE FOYER
BETWEEN THE CHURCH & HALL**



University of Scranton

The University of Scranton, a nationally recognized Jesuit university in northeast Pennsylvania, will host two **Open House** events for prospective students and their families on **Sunday, October 23rd and Sunday, November 6th**.

"Best 380 Colleges," "Best Buys in College Education," "America's Best Colleges," "A Focus on Student Success" – these are just a few of the ways that the nation's leading college rankings and guidebooks consistently refer to The University of Scranton. For 22 consecutive years, U.S. News & World Report has ranked Scranton among the 10 top Master's Universities in the North. The Princeton Review included Scranton in its list of "Best Science Labs" (No. 8), "Best Campus Food" (No. 11), "Best College Dorms" (No. 16) and "Students Love These Colleges" (No. 19). The Economist ranked Scranton in the top 2 percent of colleges (No. 22 in the nation) for the impact it has on the earnings of its graduates. Of Scranton's 911 applicants to doctoral health professions schools over the past 15 years, an average of 78 percent were accepted to schools of medicine, dentistry, veterinary medicine, podiatry and optometry.

At the Open House, participants can learn about Scranton's 65 undergraduate majors, meet with faculty, students, admissions counselors and financial aid representatives. Student-led campus tours will be conducted throughout the day and will include residence halls, dining halls, computer labs, science labs and academic facilities.

In addition, representatives of student organizations, athletic teams and the University's programs of excellence, such as the Honors Program, Faculty-Student Research Program, Special Jesuit Liberal Arts Honors Program and Business Leadership Honors Program, will also be available.

Registration and campus tours begin at 9:00AM. Open House includes a complimentary brunch for prospective students and their families. For additional information, contact Scranton's Admissions Office at 1-888-SCRANTON or visit www.scranton.edu/admissions.

POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

God our Father, You made each of us to use our gifts in the Body of Christ. We ask that you inspire young people whom you call to priesthood and consecrated life to courageously follow your will. Send workers into your great harvest so that the Gospel is preached, the poor are served with love, the suffering are comforted, and your people are strengthened by the sacraments. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

DIOCESAN NEWS

The Year of Mercy Offers an Opportunity to Bring Healing in the Area of Failed Marriages

When marriages fail, Catholics may be unclear about their relationship to the Church.

"I am civilly divorced and not sure whether I can continue to receive the Eucharist or be a part of the parish community."

"I am not sure about the status of my marriage. It would be helpful to talk to someone who could explain it to me."

"My spouse and I would like to explore having our marriage blessed in the Church."

"I don't know what an annulment really is and why I would want one. Also, I heard they are expensive."

Do any of these voices sound like you or someone you know? In the Diocese of Scranton, the annulment process is now more "user friendly" than you might expect, and there is no longer a processing fee. Please contact Fr. Pat or the Diocesan Tribunal Office (570-207-2246) to begin a conversation. It is possible to get clear answers to these questions and to renew your connection with the Church.

Extraordinary Minister of Communion Training

The Office for Parish Life will offer training for new Extraordinary Ministers of Communion on **September 15, 22, 29 (Thursdays) from 6:30-9:00PM in the Diocesan Pastoral Center, 330 Wyoming Ave., Scranton**. Any candidate for the training should have the approval of his or her pastor/parish life coordinator. To register, please fill out the **EMC Training Registration Form** (found on the diocesan website) or call the Office for Parish Life at 570-207-2213 and be sure to include your mailing address, phone number and the name of your parish. Please note that it is necessary for candidates to attend all three sessions.

Parish Pilgrimages to the Cathedral

Over 300 faithful from parishes around the Diocese of Scranton have made a pilgrimage to the Cathedral of Saint Peter in observance of the Extraordinary Jubilee of Mercy. There are two more opportunities on Saturdays throughout the year for parishes to make the pilgrimage and pass through the diocesan Holy Door: **September 24th & October 29th from 9:00AM to 2:00PM**. (The October 29th pilgrimage is designed to include members of Hispanic/Latino communities.)

The pilgrimage day includes Morning Prayer, a presentation on the Jubilee of Mercy, opportunities for personal prayer and reflection, confession, rosary, Mass, lunch and a tour of the Cathedral. Cost for the pilgrimage is \$10.00 per person to cover lunch. For more information, please contact Jennifer Andres by email at **Jennifer.Andres@dioceseofscranton.org** or at 570-207-2213.



LOCAL CATHOLIC RADIO STATION
JMJ RADIO 750AM or 98.9FM



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RCIA 2017: The RCIA program will host a **MEET AND GREET on August 28th after the 11:00AM Mass in Fr. Nallin Hall.** Anyone who has questions about the Catholic faith, has been baptized Catholic and needs to receive other sacraments, or wishes to inquire about joining the Catholic Church is welcome to attend. Members who are already in full communion with the Church but are curious about the RCIA program are also invited. No RSVP needed but you may call Mae Nowalk at 570-942-0250 if you have questions. Light refreshments will be served.

GOLF TOURNEY TO BENEFIT LONG TERM CARE FACILITIES: The 2016 golf committee of Little Flower Manor, St. Therese Residence and St. Luke's Villa, all operated by the Diocese of Scranton and served by the Carmelite Sisters, is currently preparing for the 17th annual Golf Tournament to be held **Friday, September 9th, at Mount Laurel Golf Club in White Haven.** The benefit golf outing gets underway with a pre-tourney luncheon and shotgun start at 12 noon. The event concludes with an awards dinner, featuring dozens of notable prizes, including the top prize of a new jeep courtesy of Motor World. Registration and sponsorship are open to the public; contact Jean Marie Ryan (823 - 6131 ext 269) or jryan@lfmstr.com.

Registration Open for Diocesan Congress

The Office for Parish Life invites all to the Diocesan Congress: "*A Revolution of Tenderness*" on **Saturday October 8, 2016** beginning at 9:00AM at the University of Scranton. A full day of programming is being planned, featuring dynamic speakers presenting on topics which have ongoing impact on parish life, and ways that the People of God continue to become a Church of Mercy in ministry. **The schedule and online registration can be found on the diocesan website.**

ZUMBA & YOGAFIT: Zumba classes are held on **Wednesdays in St. Mary's Parish Hall starting at 6:00PM with a Yogafit class to follow at 7:00PM.** The cost for each is **only \$5.00 per session.** We hope to see you all there!!!

ANNUAL NATIONAL FAMILY WEEK CONFERENCE: Family Service Association of Northeastern PA will host its 7th Annual National Family Week Conference on **Friday, November 18th at Genetti Best Western Hotel & Conference Center in Wilkes-Barre from 8:30AM until 4:30PM.** "Human Trafficking: From Denial to Engagement" will offer 9 different workshops that will focus on the growing problem of human trafficking in our area and ensure that families and community organizations are aware of those who are bringing help and awareness to those affected. LSW, CLE, Act 48, and CADC Continuing Education Credits will be offered. For additional information, call 570-823-5144 or email tlangan@fsanepa.org.

**St. Thomas More Catholic Parish, Scranton
1625 North Main Avenue at Theodore Street**

will screen the Best Picture-winning film "*Chariots of Fire*" on **Monday evening, August 15th at 7:30PM,** coinciding with the ongoing summer Olympic Games. Admission is free, and all are welcome. The venue will be the church's newly renovated Parish Hall, with a 10-foot screen and 5.1 channel digital sound. The film chronicles the struggles and triumphs of two very different men of faith – one Jewish, the other a devout Christian – as they compete for Great Britain in the 1924 Paris Olympics.

Participants may come for the film alone, or may join parishioners for Mass for the Assumption of Mary at 5:30PM, followed by potluck supper at 6:45PM; please bring a dish to share if attending the supper. St. Thomas More – a Roman Catholic Parish of the Personal Ordinariate of the Chair of Saint Peter – in keeping with copyright law – holds a CVLI License to screen films such as this one.

NOTICE REGARDING REPORTING SEXUAL ABUSE OF A MINOR:

It is the policy of the Diocese of Scranton to report any allegation of sexual abuse of a minor to law enforcement. If you are a victim of sexual abuse committed by a priest, deacon, religious or lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton, you are encouraged to immediately report the matter to law enforcement. If any priest, deacon, religious, lay employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Scranton has cause or reason to suspect that a minor has been subjected to any form of abuse, including child sexual abuse, the matter will be reported to law enforcement. In accordance with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania's Child Protective Services Laws, reports of suspected child abuse should also be made immediately by phone to the 24-Hour Child Abuse hotline (ChildLine) electronically at www.compass.state.pa.us/cwis or at 1-800-932-0313.

It is also the policy of the Diocese to adhere to all civil and state regulations. To this end, the Diocese is equally committed to adhering to the norms of the Code of Canon Law and to upholding the tenets of the USCCB Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People, which includes supporting victims of sexual abuse in their pursuit of emotional and spiritual well-being. As such, information regarding an allegation of sexual abuse of a minor should also be reported to the Victim Assistance Coordinator, Mary Beth Pacuska, at 570-862-7551 or to Diocesan officials, including the Vicar General, Monsignor Thomas M. Muldowney, V.G., at 570-207-2269.



ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI KITCHEN:

St. Francis of Assisi Kitchen in Scranton is in need of **sugar, salt and low sodium soups.** Any donations will be greatly appreciated!

MONTHLY HOME VISITATIONS: On or near the First Friday of every month (weather permitting), Fr. Pat, Deacon Ray and Marge Cook visit the homebound and bring them Holy Communion. **If you or a loved one is unable to attend Mass due to advanced age, sickness or disability/handicap, and desire to receive communion at home, please contact Mary Lou at the Parish Office (570-836-3275) with your name, phone number and address and you will be placed on our monthly visitation list.**

CATHOLIC SOCIAL SERVICES/COUNSELING SERVICES

AVAILABLE: Catholic Social Services of The Diocese of Scranton offers compassionate counseling in a safe, comfortable environment where your privacy is always respected. Counseling is about self-discovery and can be used for personal growth or when distressing conditions exist and you need a bit of extra support... help is available. Anyone who struggles with anxiety, depression, grief and loss, life transitions or a variety of emotional or psychological conditions is welcome. For more information or to make an appointment, call 570-207-2283.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP: All adult Catholics (age 18 and over) are expected to be officially registered in a Parish and participating at Mass and the other Sacraments on a regular basis. If you have graduated from College or High School and are now employed, you are expected to join on your own unless you are attending college or a trade school.

In order for a child to receive First Penance, First Eucharist or Confirmation, at least one of their parents or legal guardian must belong to and participate in our Parish. If you need to register or have any questions, please feel free to contact the Parish Office at 570-836-3275.

DRESSING APPROPRIATELY: Both of our parish churches are air conditioned. We need to be conscious of the way we dress for church. More than anything else, our dress and attire should suggest our reverence and respect for the special presence of the Lord found in church. As delighted as we are to see each and every person here at the Nativity BVM and St. Mary of the Lake Parishes, we do offer a gentle reminder to all that modest attire is desired. Sadly, some appear as though they are headed to the gym, the ball field, or the pool! We have all been invited to the most important table in town!

ALTAR FLOWERS FOR THE GLORY OF

GOD: We like to see our altars reflect floral beauty all year long. You are encouraged to offer a floral bouquet in memory of a loved one, for a special intention or in thanksgiving. **Intentions and**

donors will be listed in the bulletin unless you request otherwise.



RECEPTION OF HOLY COMMUNION: In order to worthily receive Jesus in Holy Communion, you must be a Catholic who is in the State of Grace (without serious or mortal sin). Those who are not married according to teaching of the Catholic Church as well as non-Catholics are unable to receive Holy Communion. We encourage those in an invalid marriage to seek an annulment and to have their civil marriage blessed (convalidated) in the Church so that it will become a Sacrament and you will receive the grace of matrimony. Contact Fr. Pat or Deacon Ray for information regarding the annulment process and the blessing of your civil marriage. If you are unable to receive Holy Communion, we encourage you to make a "spiritual communion" by reciting the following prayer:

An Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen!

HAVE YOU BEEN ASKED TO BE A SPONSOR? It is a wonderful honor to be asked to be a sponsor for Baptism and Confirmation. It signifies that you are being asked to live your life as an example and in imitation of God's love for the person you sponsor.

To serve as a sponsor, it is required that a person obtain a sponsor letter from his/her pastor. Sponsors must be at least 16 years of age, have received the Sacraments of Baptism, Holy Eucharist, Confirmation, (If married) be married according to the regulations for marriage as provided by the Roman Catholic Church, officially registered and participating weekly in the Sunday Eucharist & actively striving to live out your own baptismal commitment to Christ.

(cf. Code of Canon Law, c. 874)

PLANNING YOUR CHILD'S BAPTISM?

Here are a few things to keep in mind:

- Parents must participate in a Baptism Preparation Session with the Pastor before the Baptism date is scheduled.
- At least one Godparent must be a practicing Roman Catholic verified by the Godparent's parish.
- Parents must be registered and PARTICIPATING parishioners of Nativity BVM or St. Mary of the Lake for at least 6 months. If they are from another parish, they must have the written approval of their Pastor to have their child baptized here. The approval letter must state that they are registered and participating parishioners at that parish and provide the reason for having the baptism scheduled here (ex., out of town and family/relatives live in our area, etc.). Please call the Parish Office to schedule your Baptism appointment (570-836-3275) or for more information.

**THE MOST BLESSED
SACRAMENT IS RESERVED
WHERE MASS IS SAID
We respectfully ask that all
observe a reverent silence
and appropriate dress**

Sacramental Preparation

BAPTISM

Parents must be registered in the Parish. In order to understand and appreciate the Sacrament of Baptism, first time expectant parents are required to attend one pre-Baptism instruction. A call to the Parish Office 4 months before your child is due will make the scheduling of your session easier and give you ample time to prepare for this Sacrament of Initiation to the life of grace.

MARRIAGE

The engaged couple is asked to call the Parish Office and arrange an appointment with the priest. Please allow 12 months for the completion of the necessary preparations. Do not enter into any other commitments before confirming a wedding date and time in the parish.

Confession Schedule

The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) is celebrated **every Saturday:**

St. Mary of the Lake

.....**3:15-3:45PM**

Nativity of the BVM

.....**4:15-4:45PM**

or **at any time by appointment.**
Contact the Parish Office (836-3275).

Cemetery Lots Available

Pieta Cemetery, one of our Parish Cemeteries (located on Dark Hollow Road in Tunkhannock Township) **has burial lots available.** For further info, to view the map of available lots and to inquire about prices & regulations, please contact our Parish Secretary, Mary Lou, at the Parish Office (570-836-3275).

Nativity BVM Altar & Rosary

Our **next meeting** will take place on **Tuesday, September 13th** at **12:45PM** in Fr. Nallin Hall. All women of the parish are welcome to join us.

St. Mary of the Lake Altar & Rosary

Our **next meeting** will take place on **Monday, September 12th** at **6:45PM** in the Parish Hall. All women of the parish are welcome to join us.

Community News

**"Music on the Lawn"
Craft Fair & Yard Sale
Lake Winola United
Methodist Church
Saturday, August 27th
1:00PM**

Lake Winola Preschool
is accepting applications for the fall. We have sponsorships available for tuition and we have classes for **2½ to 5 year olds.**

For info call 570-881-3051

We are located at the
Pleasant View Baptist Church
on Orchard Drive.

**The Humane Society
of Wyoming County, Inc.**
570-836-4745

www.hswcPA.org

The Humane Society of Wyoming County is a non-profit, tax-exempt, all volunteer organization. Volunteers and donations always needed.

If anyone suspects animal neglect/abuse, they should contact us. All calls are confidential.

If anyone is having trouble affording spay/neuter surgery, they should contact us; we may be able to help them find an affordable plan.

The Lake Winola United Methodist Church is looking for help folding and sorting clothes for it's community clothes closet. If you can spare an hour or two on a Wednesday morning, please contact Enola Hawk (570-378-3295).

**ST. MARY'S AED IS LOCATED
IN THE FOYER BETWEEN THE
CHURCH & HALL**



PRO-LIFE ROSE

Looking for a wonderful way to remember a loved one on a special day?



Why not donate the Rose that is placed before the statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary at Nativity BVM Church? Simply contact **Diane Stone (570-836-3055)** to schedule the date that you desire and how you want it listed in the bulletin. Many weekends are available.

LOWER WYOMING COUNTY FOOD PANTRY

Those in need are encouraged to participate in the Lower Wyoming County Food Pantry, located at the Lake Winola United Methodist Church.

Hours of Operation: The First and Third Thursday of the month from 9:00-11:30AM.

Parish Bulletin Advertising

Space is currently available in our weekly parish bulletin for your business advertisement. Contact our Parish Business Manager, Dick Schwoebel, at (570) 836-3275 or (570) 677-7634 for information and pricing. Various sizes are available; the cost is reasonable.

Words of Life

"The Church always advances between the cross and the resurrection, between persecutions and the consolations of the Lord. This is the path: those who take this path do not go wrong."

**Pope Francis
Homily on the Feast of St. George
April 23, 2013**

CELL PHONE ETIQUETTE AT MASS

In keeping with the sacredness of the liturgy, please make every effort to **turn off or silence your cell phone during the Celebration of the Eucharist.**





MILITARY HONOR ROLL
PLEASE KEEP ALL MEMBERS OF THE MILITARY
IN YOUR PRAYERS
DURING THIS TIME OF UNCERTAINTY

If you have a relative or friend serving in the military, please let us know so that we can include their name on our Honor Roll

A Prayer for our Military

Father, we could never thank our military men and women enough for their courageous service and sacrifice to our country and its people. We lift up our voices to express gratefulness and honor to these military troops both from the past and present.



PRO-LIFE ROSE



The Pro-Life red rose in front of the statue of Mary at Nativity this week is in memory of

ED WIKOSKI

Donated by his wife, Helen

If you would like to donate for a Pro-Life Rose at Nativity, please contact Diane Stone (570-836-3055)



The Seven Loaves Soup Kitchen is in need of some volunteers to assist in

picking up donated foods on Wednesdays. They need at least two volunteers each week. If you can give a couple of hours on a Wednesday, please contact Fr. Dennis (570-836-0188) or the Parish Office (570-836-3275).

If your child's crying or talking becomes excessive or disruptive to others, please be considerate and use the cry rooms in our churches.



SAVE THE DATE

St. Mary of the Lake Church
Annual Parish Meeting & Breakfast
Sunday, September 11th - 10:00AM
Cost: \$5.00 per person

Reservations are required. Please contact the Parish Office (570-378-2181 or 570-836-3275) no later than August 31st

Catered by the Lake Road Café & Sweet Shop

Line Dancing

Wednesday evening
7:00-8:30PM Fr. Nallin Hall



NIGHT PRAYERS
with DEACON RAY



Tuesday evening prayers
5:00PM @ Winola View Apartments
All are welcome!

Have You Moved?



If you have recently moved or had an address change, please contact the parish office at 570-836-3275 so that our records may be updated.

We are still getting back mailings to Rural Routes (RRs) that the Post Office is no longer delivering. Unless you contact the Parish Office with a mailable address, your information will be eliminated from our parish registration listing.



Great for all cleaning projects!!
 Available at the Parish Office
 Only **\$5.00**

This ultra-fine StreakFree Microfiber Cloth does not damage any surface. The fibers grab and hold dirt, dust and grime. This is the magnet effect. Single fiber is approximately 1/20th the diameter of a strand of silk. Disperses oil, grease, dirt, grime, film, dust. Tough on dirt and gentle on surface.

RELIGIOUS WIT

God loves everyone, but probably prefers 'fruits of the spirit' over 'religious nuts!'

God promises a safe landing, not a calm passage.

WELCOME TO NATIVITY BVM & ST. MARY OF THE LAKE PARISHES

If you are interested in becoming a registered parishioner of either Nativity BVM Church in Tunkhannock or Saint Mary of the Lake Church at Lake Winola, please complete the form below and either drop it into the offertory basket or take or mail it to the parish office. Fr. Pat will contact you to set up a brief appointment for the registration. Morning, afternoon and evening appointments are available during the weekdays. You may also contact the parish office at 570-836-3275 and leave your name and phone number.

Name _____
 Address _____
 City _____ Zip _____
 Phone _____
 Email _____

NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY MASS SCHEDULE – WEEK OF AUGUST 14, 2016

SATURDAY	AUG. 13	5:00PM	FLORENCE CHINTALLA – OFFERED BY GLORIA PASTERNAK
SUNDAY	AUG. 14	7:30AM	HELEN McKEON – OFFERED BY HER FAMILY
		9:00AM	AL HENRY – OFFERED BY GENE & BARBARA KOVALCHICK
		11:00AM	EDMUND WIKOSKI – OFFERED BY HIS WIFE HELEN
MONDAY	AUG. 15	7:00AM	KATHRYN KUZMICS – OFFERED BY THE BUILDING & GROUNDS COMMITTEE
TUESDAY	AUG. 16	8:00AM	NO MASS
WEDNESDAY	AUG. 17	7:00AM	JACQUELINE STRUMSKI – OFFERED BY RICHARD FITZSIMMONS
THURSDAY	AUG. 18	7:00AM	NO MASS
FRIDAY	AUG. 19	7:00AM	MICHAEL ELIAS – OFFERED BY FRED & GRETA KOVALCHICK & FAMILY
SATURDAY	AUG. 20	5:00PM	HELEN KALINOWSKI – OFFERED BY HER FAMILY
SUNDAY	AUG. 21	7:30AM	JOSEPH FRANK – OFFERED BY THE BUILDING & GROUNDS COMMITTEE
		9:00AM	MARY ELLIS – OFFERED BY KEN & ROSE & FAMILY
		11:00AM	RON ROZANSKI – OFFERED BY GLORIA PASTERNAK

LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE

<u>SAT. AUG 13. & SUN. AUG 14</u>	<u>SATURDAY 5:00PM</u>	<u>SUNDAY 7:30AM</u>	<u>SUNDAY 9:00AM</u>	<u>SUNDAY 11:00AM</u>
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER(S)	DEACON RAY FRED KOVALCHICK SUSAN BARZILOSKI	DOLORES KENNEDY ALISHA NUDO NAN DeMARCO	LYNNE BINNER JOHN KEEFE GENE SCHWEITZER	GARY TEWKSBURY DOLORES MANGANELLA DIANE STONE
LECTOR ALTAR SERVER(S)	SABRINA TRAVER ALYSSA KOVALCHICK LAUREN KOVALCHICK TORI KOVALCHICK	JUSTIN ROTH ELIZABETH DeMARCO LEAH DeMARCO NICHOLAS DeMARCO	BARBARA KALISH JOSEPH COLAVITTI MATTHEW COLAVITTI HANNAH ECKERT	TINA KALETA JACOB POWERS NOAH POWERS SCOTT WILLIAMS
OFFERTORY GIFTS COLLECTION COUNTERS	SELECTION BY USHERS	SELECTION BY USHERS	SELECTION BY USHERS B. KIRBY, W. OLIVER, R. THORNE	SELECTION BY USHERS
<u>SAT AUG. 20 & SUN AUG. 21</u>	<u>SATURDAY 5:00PM</u>	<u>SUNDAY 7:30AM</u>	<u>SUNDAY 9:00AM</u>	<u>SUNDAY 11:00AM</u>
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER(S)	SUSAN BARZILOSKI JOAN CHAPDELAINNE DOLORES KENNEDY	DEACON RAY AGNES MASSACESI NAN DeMARCO	CARL SHINKO JOHN KEEFE GENE SCHWEITZER	GARY TEWKSBURY DOLORES MANGANELLA LISA RANSOM
LECTOR ALTAR SERVER(S)	PAT MURRAY BILLY PREBOLA JACK ZEUNEN MARY ZEUNEN	MARY SOHNS PAUL DeMARCO SARAH DeMARCO KENNETH FILER	LYNNE BINNER MAIA BURRY MOLLY KEISER ZACH KEISER	TONY ZEME MICHAEL BARDZEL CORAL MILNER HANNAH MILNER
OFFERTORY GIFTS COLLECTION COUNTERS	SELECTION BY USHERS	SELECTION BY USHERS	SELECTION BY USHERS J. YABLONSKI, P. BROWN, C. KOVALCHICK	SELECTION BY USHERS

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

----- **THE SICK, THE SUFFERING AND HOSPITALIZED**, ESPECIALLY: CAROLYN MYERS, ELISSA ROSE, LYLE STURDEVANT, MARYN KUKUCHKA, LILLIAN KRISTUNAS, RUTH KUKUCKA, JENNIFER BUNNELL, RITA BERCHEM, MARIE STAIR, MELISSA HENNING HILL, MARY ANN BROWN, ELIZABETH CALLAHAN, RICHELLE MORTIMER, CHERYL MacDONALD SWEET, AIDAN HOLMAN, TRISTAN EVANS, JOSEPH E. QUINN, ANGELIQUE ALEXANDRA PREVOST, HEATHER STEGNER, BARBARA CHAPMAN, MARGE HOLUB, ELEANOR FOSTER, MATTHEW LEWIS, DONALD TRAVER, DAWN DOMMES, MICHELLE HUERBIN, CAROLYN ROZANSKI, DOROTHY KOZLOSKI, MARGARET KINTNER, TRUDY FISK, MARY KUKUCHKA, MARY BOLOUSKI, EMMY COIA, DARRIN McGAVIN, FATHER BILL WILSON, EDWARD KIMBEL, CHERYL SANDS, SUSAN BOLOUSKI McANDREWS, NANCY ROBINSON, GARRET CONOVER, BECKY REESE, CLETUS MacDONALD, MERCEDES ANDERSON, ANALISA DOMINIC, VERA PRAWDZIK, JACOB WALTER CURTIS, MATTHEW FORTSE, ARTHUR BUNNELL, TED BUNNELL, HELEN TALARICO, BARBARA JONES, PAUL GOODRICH, MYRON LaBAR, DON WHITE, DAVID TRESSLER SR., CAROL McGINLEY, CAROL COBB, BRENT RANSOM, JEAN YABLONSKI, LUCAS SETH BOYANOWSKI, AUSTIN THOMAS, LYNNE BINNER, JIM BORDEN, DEBBIE MONTROSS, ROSE ANN WHITE, JERRY STROKA, BEN BROWN, LINDA NIEMIEC, DIANE THOMPSON, BILL IVEY, DEBBIE GAY, ROSEANN GEORGE, SHELLIE SEYMORE, MARILYN BRODY, MONTANA COLE, MARGE EVERITT, BECKY REESE, CAROL GAYLORD, CHRIS OLSHAN, JR., ANN ZACKARIAS, GRACE STURDEVANT, CHRISTOPHER BELL, CHARLOTTE SMITH, FLORENCE KEYES, JAY HENDRICKSON, LINDA RUEHLMAN.

----- **THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED AND THE NEEDS OF OUR PARISH AND PARISHIONERS.**

PLEASE NOTIFY THE PARISH OFFICE (836-3275) IF ANYONE IS HOSPITALIZED OR ILL OR IN NEED OF PRAYERS.

SANCTUARY LIGHT:

THE SANCTUARY LIGHT WILL BURN DURING THE WEEK OF
AUGUST 14TH FOR **RON ROZANSKI**
OFFERED BY HIS WIFE CAROLYN ROZANSKI

YOUR CONTRIBUTION:

Weekend Offering	\$4,672.00
Clergy Care	\$ 699.00

NATIVITY BVM CALENDAR

AUG. 16	CEMETERY COMMITTEE MTG. – 6:30PM RECTORY	OCT. 02	CCD CLASS
AUG. 17	WYOMING COUNTY FAIR MTG – 6:30PM – RECTORY	OCT. 09	CCD CLASS/7TH GRADE MASS – 9:00AM
AUG. 18	PARISH COUNCIL MTG. – 5:00PM	OCT. 15	DANCE – FNH – 7:00PM
AUG. 21	BENEFIT DANCE – FNH – 1:00-4:00PM	OCT. 16	CCD CLASS
AUG. 25	FINANCE COUNCIL MTG – 6:30PM – FNH	OCT. 23	CCD CLASS
AUG. 31- SEPT. 05	WYOMING COUNTY COMMUNITY FAIR	OCT. 24	CONFIRMATION PARENT MTG – 6:30 - 8:00PM – FNH (MANDATORY FOR 1 PARENT)
SEPT. 24	TEACHER INSTALLATION MASS – 5:00PM TEACHER MTG. – FNH – 6:00PM	OCT. 30	CCD CLASS/ 2ND GRADE MASS – 9:00AM
SEPT. 25	CCD CLASS BEGINS	NOV. 06	CCD CLASS
OCT. 01	AIRING OF THE QUILTS	NOV. 13	CCD CLASS
		NOV. 20	CCD CLASS/6TH GRADE MASS – 9:00AM
		NOV. 27	NO CCD (THANKSGIVING VACATION)
		DEC. 04	CCD CLASS/2ND GRADE CLASS PAGEANT

ST. MARY OF THE LAKE MASS SCHEDULE - WEEK OF AUGUST 14, 2016

SATURDAY	AUG.	13	4:00PM	THE KASZUBA BABIES – OFFERED BY THE KASZUBA FAMILY
SUNDAY	AUG.	14	9:00AM	WILLIAM & SARA FLYNN – OFFERED BY RITA GRAZIANO
MONDAY	AUG.	15	8:00AM	MARY GANZ – OFFERED BY THE PACKER FAMILY
TUESDAY	AUG.	16	8:00AM	JOSEPH SCHIAVONE – OFFERED BY HIS MOM & DAD
WEDNESDAY	AUG.	17	8:00AM	NO MASS
THURSDAY	AUG.	18	8:00AM	MARJORIE duFOSSE – OFFERED BY LISA JANOSKI
FRIDAY	AUG.	19	8:00AM	NO MASS
SATURDAY	AUG.	20	4:00PM	DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE WATERS & HUDOCK FAMILIES – OFFERED BY BILL WATERS
SUNDAY	AUG.	21	9:00AM	TERESA WALL – OFFERED BY JIM & CONNIE LANE

LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE

<u>SAT. AUG. 13 & SUN. AUG. 14</u>	<u>SATURDAY 4:00PM</u>	<u>SUNDAY 9:00AM</u>
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER(S)	DEACON RAY DOROTHY TRAUGER TOM WOLFF	DEACON RAY JERRY HILDEBRAND SUSAN HILDEBRAND
LECTORS	DON AMES	SEB NARO
ALTAR SERVER(S)	CAITLIN ANDREWS	JULIA FRANKO MICHAEL GREEN ZACH ZELNA
USHERS	ED ULTSH & STAN MALECKI	RANDY PIERETTI & STEVEN ZDANIEWICZ
GREETERS	PEG GARVEY	JOYCE NARO
OFFERTORY GIFTS	SELECTION BY USHERS	SELECTION BY USHERS
COLLECTION COUNTERS		DOT JOHNSON & FRAN MOLLUSKY
<u>SAT. AUG. 20 & SUN. AUG. 21</u>	<u>SATURDAY 4:00PM</u>	<u>SUNDAY 9:00AM</u>
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER(S)	DEACON RAY CAROL BALKO JONI JAMES	DEACON RAY ANN MARIE GORKO DAVID SHYGELSKI
LECTORS	LISA JANOSKI	STEVEN ZDANIEWICZ
ALTAR SERVER(S)	JEWEL STOVER	ZACH HARRIS ASHLEY KENIA RACHEL KENIA
USHERS	CARL PACKER & BERNIE GARVEY	JEFF PIERCE & ED ULTSH
GREETERS	MARIE PACKER	ELLEN WENGEN
OFFERTORY GIFTS	SELECTION BY USHERS	SELECTION BY USHERS
COLLECTION COUNTERS		DON & CAROL AMES

Father of goodness and love, hear our prayers for the sick members of our community and for all who are in need. Amid mental and physical suffering may they find consolation in your healing presence. Show your mercy as you close wounds, cure illness, make broken bodies whole who healed those who believed. Amen.

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

--- THE SICK, THE SUFFERING AND HOSPITALIZED, ESPECIALLY: SANDRA SLOWEY, LORI PIERCE, LISA FREITAS, TRACY IRISH, CHRISTINA REEVES, JACKI NIERATKO, CARMEN PIERCE, ELAINE HUG, CHARLIE RUSSELLO, ANNETTE SMITH, LYNN POLLINI, AVA MASON, LYNN McGLYNN, BONNIE KILGANNON, ANGIE HNATKO, RUSTY PERKINS, ANASTASIA TECHKY, ELLEN GAREY, JULIA KAIFER, MICHELLE HUERBIN, SHIRLEY DZIAK, JENNIFER BUNNELL, MARIE SCHOEN, JOSEPH PIERCE, THELMA SHEBBY, EDD KILGANNON, AUDREY DAVIS, SHIRLEY ROCHA, DOT JOHNSON, JERRY LAMONICA, JAMES DOUGHERTY, JESSICA MIGLIORI, STACIE MAGNECZ, MELISSA HENNING HILL, MICHAEL BOGDON, JANET EVANS, ZACHARY WILLIAMS, KERSTIN LEE MIGLIORI, PAT STEAD, BILL STEAD, KATIE PACKER, PETER POLINSKY, DAVID TRESSLER, SR., ANN SMITH, DELORES HEAGY, FRAN MOLLUSKY, PEARL PIERCE, CAROLE GREENIP, BERNICE BURANICH, CEIL IGNATOVICH, JANE CAWLEY, LOUIS C. POLLINI JR., SUE MIGLIORI, MSGR. DAVID L. TRESSLER, BERNIE KENIA, JOE SCHIAVONE, JOSEPH FRANKO, LINDA NIEMIEC, CAROLLYN DAVIS, LINDA ZALEWSKI, FLORENCE KEYES, MARY PETERSEN.

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SANCTUARY LIGHT:

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AUGUST 14TH FOR **MARY ANN KASZUBA**
OFFERED BY HER HUSBAND GEORGE

YOUR CONTRIBUTION:

Weekend Offering	\$ 1,467.00
Clergy Care	\$ 251.76

ST. MARY OF THE LAKE CALENDAR

JUL & AUG NO ALTAR & ROSARY MEETINGS

AUG. 25 FINANCE COUNCIL MTG – 6:30PM – FNH
AUG. 31- SEPT. 05 WYOMING COUNTY COMMUNITY FAIR

SEPT. 11 ANNUAL MEETING & BREAKFAST
SEPT. 12 ALTAR & ROSARY MTG. – 6:45PM – HALL
SEPT. 18 FIRST DAY OF CCD CLASSES
SEPT. 25 CCD CLASS

OCT. 02 CCD CLASS/BLESSING OF ANIMALS – NOON
OCT. 03 ALTAR & ROSARY MTG. – 6:45PM – HALL
OCT. 09 CCD CLASS
OCT. 23 CCD CLASS/CONFIRMATION MASS
OCT. 30 CCD CLASS/HALLOWEEN FUN/FOOD DRIVE

NOV. 06 CCD CLASS/FOOD DRIVE
NOV. 07 ALTAR & ROSARY MTG. – 6:45PM – HALL
NOV. 13 CCD CLASS/FOOD DRIVE
NOV. 20 CCD CLASS/6TH & 7TH GRADE MASS
FOOD DRIVE/CONFESSIONS
NOV. 27 NO CCD CLASS

DEC. 04 CCD CLASS/CONFESSIONS
DEC. 06 ALTAR & ROSARY CHRISTMAS PARTY – 5:30PM –
BOGEY'S SHADOWBROOK
DEC. 11 CCD CLASS/5TH GRADE MASS/CONFESSIONS

DEC. 18 CCD CHRISTMAS PROGRAM @10:30A.M.
DESSERT RECEPTION
DEC. 25 NO CCD CLASS